to-day and probably to-morrow;

moderate temperature; variable winds.

Highest temperature yesterday, 82; lowest, 66.

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# LANDIS WAGE CUTS SMASH HIGH COST OF **BUILDING IN CHICAGO**

**Workers in 44 Construction Trades Reduced From 10** to 33 Per Cent. by His Decision.

BIG OPERATIONS START

\$30,000,000 Jobs Will at Once Be Completed, Giving Employment to 50,000 Men.

WORK RESTRICTIONS END

Labor Saving Machinery May Be Used-New Conditions End All Chances of Open Shop.

Special Despatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD. CHICAGO, Sept. 7 .- Smashing the cost of building in Chicago and reducing wage scales for the construction workers, Judge Landis to-day handed down his decision in the building arbitration, which has been before him for nearly three months.

The wage cuts varied from 10 to as high as 33 per cent, of the old uniform rate of pay of \$1.25 an hour for skilled ers affiliated with forty-four building trades, coupled with the elimination of all restrictions on labor saving machinery and materials of any sort mated the saving in actual cost would something to do. One of them, at any be about 20 per cent.

Only one craft was left at \$1.25 an hour-the stone carvers, whose expert- then let it rest, as if in doubt. Mrs. ness in chiselling intricate designs on Roosevelt's Happy flipped his ears.

wage is announced for the carnally in the wage controversy, but with- lightly, like a load of concrete. drew following a clash over Judge lie's gait is a more sober thing, work-Landis's refusal to be a party to certain ing to an occasional climax, when she clauses in their agreements. At one stage of the arbitration Judge Landis

of the Chicago Building Trades Council.

had always been near the top of every wage scale, to-day found themselves at 95 cents an hour, 15 cents lower than the wage of the bricklayers, with whom they had hitherto kept even pace. This was explained by Judge Landis in his

claion as follows:
"Employers and employees of some ades, acting in cooperation, have resed to the public the benefit of the onomy that would result from the prevent the contractor from working his own job. Three trades require k to be done by skilled men that In fixing the wage in these trades, I have been obliged to consider the waste

As a result of the decision it was peeted that between 40,000 and 50,-00 men would be back at work with namer, trowel and shovel before Mon-

abolition of restrictions on the hiring of men and the use of labor saving devices and material, was asserted by F. E. Davidson, president of the Illinois Society of Architects, to constitute one of the most momentous decisions ever handed down in the history of the United States building industry.

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"Not only that," he said, "but it saves alon labor from an open shop in Chi-igo. Not another Judge but Landis build have po! this thing over." will be practi-

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THE RAISAMS, Diaville Notch, N. H., offers Special Autumn Raiss. - Ado.

Taking Drink in Zion Costs Louis F. Swift, Jr., \$200

WAUKEGAN, Ill., Sept. 7.—
Louis F. Swift, Jr., of Chicago, son of the millionaire packer, and Dr. George E. Neovious, also of Chicago, today pleaded guilty to having taken a drink of alcoholic liquor in Zion on Saturday. Judge in Zion on Saturday. Judge Parson of the Lake County Court fined them \$200 each.

# MRS. T. ROOSEVELT'S **MULE IS TIED IN RACE**

Mrs. J. Griswold Webb Drives Nellie to Nose and Nose Finish at Dutchess Fair.

ONE FARMER IS SPOTTED

18x6 Inch Butter Beans, 8 Foot Geraniums, Among Displays at Rhinebeck.

grand stand. The crowd at the Dutchess County Fair, opening at Rhinebeck yesterday, looked down the

track, eager, tense. were Mrs. Theodore Roc velt and Mrs. J. Griswold Webb, each seated behind a sulky and a mule. Mrs. Roosevelt's mule, by courtesy, might be called white. His name was Happy. Mrs. Webb's was frankly black and answered to Nellie.

"They're off!" shouted the man in the grand stand, but the quiet bootlegger in the end. Dutchess county landscape was apclable lapse of time those in the stand whose eyesight was good were able to make out a faint forward movement, son made. Judge Landis esti- with which the mules seemed to have rail, raised a hoof tentatively, and

#### Animals' Unusual Gaits.

And then they started. Happy has of any animal that travels upon legs. elevator constructors, glaziers or His ends seem to buckle together and he rises slowly, returning to the ground plants her feet firmly as a statue's.

Beyond a doubt, county fairs aren't greater because the obstacles to be over-what they used to be. An old man with 

could discover. The crowd at the Dutchess County Fair might have been the crowd at Coney Island. There are no "hicks" except in vaudeville.

### Dutchess's 70th Fair.

#### PUNISH DISRESPECT TO DEAD. Ex-Soldiers Bent Man Retaining Hat as Funeral Passed.

AUBURN, Mc., Sept. 7.—Former service men marching in a funeral procession here to-day broke ranks and climbed aboard a trolley car to attack a pas-senger who, they said, refused to bare his head when the colors passed. The man was knocked down but escaped serious injury. The veterans were part of the military escort at the funeral of Capt Frank W. Hullet.

# HAYNES WILL PLUG **RUM LEAKS SLOWLY** ALSO SHAKE UP STAFF

Federal Commissioner De. nies Report of Spectacular Crusade Here.

NO SAHARA OVER NIGHT

Thorough Reorganization Will Insist on His Revenue of Enforcement Corps in City Planned.

CONFIDENT OF SUCCESS

500 Cases of Kentucky Bourbon Consigned to Local Drug Company Seized.

New York is not to be treated to any spectacular anti-booze crusade inaugurated to signalize National Prohibition Commissioner Roy A. Haynes's uation here. No unusual demonstration of new enforcement ideas is for tax revision along the lines or slow but thorough reorganization of the enforcement corps. Suggestions, shown elsewhere to have been fruitful, are to be applied to the local situation so that (Mr. Haynes hopes) small aid or comfort will accrue to the

The recently appointed National Com city situation yesterday for the first hopeless one after all. He saw enough to know that it is far from dry now. system, to achieve that result sooner or later. After a hasty survey of the situation Mr. Haynes issued a brief his home town of Hillsboro, Ohio.

#### Kentucky Bourbon Seized.

It developed yesterday that the amount and value of contraband liquor seized on Tuesday by enforcement agents on various Hudson River piers had been overestimated. E. C. Yellowclauses in their agreements. At one stage of the arbitration Judge Landis advised certain of the union officials to hire a lawyer to keep them out of trouble, because he saw violations of Federal and State laws in some of the agreements.

Plants her feet firmly as a statue's.

When the mules had circled the track or mun hunters from Washington, temporarily assigned to the local district, kept on the job yesterday and seized 500 cases of Kentucky bourbon consigned to tirely. They seemed to be leisurely ploughing for future Dutchess county released from a distillery in Frankfort

Reductions from the \$1:25 rate for the important unions were as follows:
Plumbers, \$5 cents; bricklayers, \$1.10; a moment to sniff at a bunch of golden red growing beside the track. It looked like Nellie's opportunity, but Happy ament iron workers, \$5 cents; slate and tille roofers, \$1.

Common labor was slashed more deeply, coming down from the old scale of \$1 to 72½ cents an hour. Exca-

deeply, coming down from the old scale
of \$1 to 72½ cents an hour. Excavating laborers receive 47½ cents an hour and wall excavators a slightly higher amount.

Although the carpenters were not included in the arbitration. Judge Landis said they were entitled to \$1 an hour. The plasterers and painters also remained outside the arbitration.

Rejection of the wage decision was forecast by Thomas Kearney, president of the Chicago Building Trades Council.

Respect of the buller fluid before the judges' stand was reached.

They passed it nose and nose. It was a dead heat. All that remained was for Col. Theodore Roosevelt and J. Griswold Webb each to take the rein of his wife's mule and do the pleasure of the movie mule and the arbitration.

The mule race was the chief attraction.

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"I feel that if we can point out to Juige Landis wherein some of the wages he fixed are unjust he will readjust them." Mr. Kearney said. "And that's the purpose of the meeting."

The unions affected promised to abide by the result of the arbitration before Judge Landis would agree to become The plumbers and steamfitters, who had always been near the top of every the standing out among the automobiles, but he was the only one of his kind The New York Herald reporter that the conference is and steamfitters.

The plumbers and steamfitters, who had always been near the top of every this here was a way of the dusty. It is hat.

Two State troopers saw him coming and held a hurried conference.

"Looks to me like a farmer," said one.

"I'm hanged if I don't think he is," Yesterday afternoon Commissioner Haynes inspected the offices of the local this buggy standing out among the automobiles, but he was the only one of his kind The New York Herald reporter. clusion of the conference he said that he had nothing to add to the statement given out earlier.

#### Judge Manton's Decision.

It was Dutchess's 70th Fair.

It was Dutchess county's seventy-ninth annual fair, the second oldest in hith annual fair, the second oldest in the State. Its exhibits are drawn from the would ordinary farms of the county. There are beautiful sleok Guernsey cattle, with coats that would not look mean beside those of thoroughbred horses, and fine sturdy Holsteins. The hogs are huge, refore, and, speaking of size, a man staggered into the barn where the horticulatival stural exhibit is housed, carrying two lutter beans. They were both eighteen in chast of an eight foot geranium was growing the mean that traffic in stolen permits was no violation of the law; but one of the matters to be considered along with the reorganization of the matters to be considered along with the reorganization of the prediction was made yesterday.

State Director Hart, without criticising the ruling of the court, admitted that the recent decision of Federal Judge Martin T. Manton, sitting in Brooklyn. In sustaining a demurrer to an indicting the order of the removal of liquor was value-less in the recent decision of Federal Judge Martin T. Manton, sitting in Brooklyn. In sustaining a demurrer to an indicting the order of the removal of liquor was value-less in the score of the removal of liquor was value-less in the recent decision of Federal Judge Martin T. Manton, sitting in Brooklyn. In sustaining a demurrer to an indiction on the ground that a stolen permit of the removal of liquor was value-less in the recent decision of Federal Judge Martin T. Manton, sitting in Brooklyn. In sustaining a demurrer to an indiction on the ground that a stolen permit of the recent decision of Federal Judge Martin T. Manton, sitting in Brooklyn. In sustaining a demurrer to an indiction of the countries. The hogs are huge. The recent decision of Federal Judge Martin T. Manton, sitting in Brooklyn. In sustaining a demurrer to an indiction of the countries. The hogs are huge. The recent decision of Federal Judge Martin T. Manton, sitting in Brooklyn. In sus State Director Hart, without criticising

Mr. Werren Delano, whose husband and the prediction was made yesterday by Mr. Hart that offences growing to faxity in this feature would speedly become fewer.

While Commissioner Haynes's appearance was the signal for new activity ance was the signal for new activity ance was the signal for new activity and and the prediction was made yesterday by Mr. Hart that offences growing to faxity in this feature would speedly by Mr. Hart that offences growing to faxity in this feature would speedly by Mr. Hart that offences growing to faxity in this feature would speedly by Mr. Hart that offences growing to faxity in this feature would speedly by Mr. Hart that offences growing to faxity in this feature would speedly Central Office men. Deputy Commissioner Leach reserved decision in all

> Federal warrant was out for the arrest of a New Jersey enforcement official of high rank, who, it was said, was wanted Burnstein, also known as John arrested on Tuesday at the McAlpin

> > Continued on Second Page. The best writing papers are WHITING PAPERS.-Adv.

# Feeler Sent to Paris on U. S.-German Treaty

can State Department has made unofficial inquiry of the French Government, it is announced, as to how it would receive an official note respecting recognition of the German-American treaty. MELLON TO RENEW

Scheme But Is Willing to

Compromise.

HIS TAX DEMAND

SEES COMMITTEE TO-DAY

Secretary Has Long Conference With President, Reviewing Entire Problem.

New York Herald Bureau, ) Washington, D. C., Sept. 7. to-day said he would appear before the Senate Finance Committee toplanned on a broad scale. Instead, it iginally suggested in his proposals to of the question of the league's juris- combining the Department of Labor was said yesterday, there is to be a the House Ways and Means Com-Secretary will present no formal state- covenant, in her case laid before the bor and Welfare. ment, but will rely chiefly upon his previous outline of Government rev-

White House to-day between the President and Mr. Mellon, at which it is unmissioner looked over the New York derstood the tax problem was reviewed in detail. While the Secretary will stand to-morrow upon the basis of his previous recommendations, it is believed he will be ready to compromise on certain tax items the adop- the Bolivians assert that a year ago. Labor rate. Mrs. Webb's mule, who had the But he hopes, by plugging leaks here, tion of which is not deemed politically

Mr. Mellon has estimated the total expenditures of the Government during the current year at \$4,554,052,817. He stuation Mr. Haynes issued a brief statement, then left for a vacation in gives the estimated revenues at \$4,217,-bit home town of Hillshope Ohio. 643,000. The further estimate was made that if the Fordney tariff bill is enacted before January 1, about \$70,-000,000 more than the yield under the present law will be obtained.

Mr. Mellon's programme was featured by these proposals: Repeal of the excess profits taxes; repeal of soda water taxes; reduction in the surtax rates; increased tobacco taxes; increase in first class letter postage from 2 cents to 3 cents; a two-cent stamp on bank checks; 50 per cent, reduction in the transportation tax by January 1 and final repeal on January 1, 1923; a Federal automobile tax based upon horse power; repeal of the luxury taxes on

There is conjecture to-night as to whether the Secretary will recommend that repeal of the excess profits tax be made effective as of January 1 last, and also make retroactive as of that date the elimination of all surtaxes on

individual incomes above 32 per cent.

Secretary Meilon is known to oppose the adoption of the proposal of Senator Smoot for a sales tax to make up in part losses in revenue due to repeal of excess profits and reductions in sur-

#### **800 ILLINOIS MINERS** PLAN INVASION TO-DAY Men in Camp to Move Against Elizabethtown.

By the Associated Press. ELIZABETHTOWN, Ill., Sept. 7.—Eight hundred miners from Eldorado and nearby coal fields are encamped within thirty miles of this town to-night, prepared to march on this city and Rosi-clare to-morrow, leaders of the men told

an Associated Press correspondent who located their camp to-day.

Reenforcements on the way from the coal fields will bring the invading army Deputy Sheriffs and private detectives clashed with the outposts of the miners who held up two trucks and three men at the Hog Thief's ford on the Harrisburg road this afternoon. The miners retreated, leaving four prisoners and three automobiles in the officers' hands. to more than 1,000 men, it was said. All available citizens of Rosiclare and Elizabethtown are being armed to-night to meet the miners if they carry out their announced intention of attacking the two towns to-morrow.

## **FALL OF ANGORA NOT** CONFIRMED IN LONDON Battle Along Sakaria River Reported Subsiding.

LONDON. Sept. 7 .- No confirmation has been received here of the report con-tained in a Smyrna despatch of Tuesday that Angora, the Turkish Nationalist capital, has fallen to the Greeks.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 7 .- The battle in progress for several days between Greek troops and the Turkish Nationalists, has subsided. The Greeks are said to be bringing up additional artillery and two new divisions.

By the Associated Press. GREEK GENERAL HEADQUARTERS IN ASIA MINOR, Sept. 7.—Turkish Nationalist forces have been driven from new positions, but are retiring slowly. Their losses are unofficially catimated at 12,000 killed or wounded. The Greek losses are not known, but are said to be heavy.

# IN BOLIVIA BOUNDARY

Serious Problem Raised in Row Caused by Award to Chile.

CHALLENGE IS MADE

Assembly Told It Has No Jurisdiction Over Affairs in America.

WILSON POLICY INVOLVED

Committees Begin Work at Geneva Session-Argentina Definitely Out.

Special Cable to The New York Herald. Copyright, 1921, by The New York Herald. Geneva, Sept. 7.—The Chilean-Eoof Nations and going to the very heart ber 1. This is to be accomplished by diction assembly to-day explicitly invokes the ing the American continent and pre- gestion, having made it to Walter A There was a long conference at the cluding interference by the league in Brown, chairman of the Joint Con

disputes belonging exclusively thereto, gressional Committee on the Reorgani and challenged the very fundamental previously had been found that the before presenting this American boundary dispute to the league, they approached the American Government and obtained an opinion that by appealing to the league they were not prejudicating the Monroe Doctrine.

This opinion, formally given to Bolivia, came from the Wilson Admin-Istration, which, needless to say, was then engaged in defending the world-wide scope of the covenant, even if it possibly imperilled the Monroe Doc-partment of the Interior, which over a possibly imperilled the Monroe Doc-

The gauntlet laid down by Chile mply this: That the Bolivian dispute rotected by the Monroe Doctrine; that f the assembly votes to put it upon the genda it will be challenging this doclause of the covenant.

The assembly, as a matter of pro-cedure, must decide by a majority vote. Deepest significance lies in the fact that this is one of the few times any ther South American nation has formally accepted or invoked the Monroe octrine for its protection in dealing with Europe.

Recognizing the gravity of the last covering a vital interpretation of the league's scope, Arthur J. Balfour of the British delegation and Lord Robert Cecil, representing South Africa, are striving desperately to arrange a com-promise between Chile and Bolivia that before the league. They succeeded today in obtaining a postponement of it, ostensibly to give the delegates more time to inform themselves before voting This is the part of Chili's protest to the assembly which brought up the league's right to interfere in Amercian

affairs: "A second consideration of a legal nature shows beyond any manner of doubt that it is not within the competence of the assembly to deal with Bolivia's claim. This claim concerns scalusive American affairs. The use, however, of the expression regional understandings like the Monroe Doctrine' in Article XXI. of the covenant amounts to format recognition of the principle of American international law, according to which non-American States, and consequently the assembly, cannot interfere in questions exclusively affect-ing countries of the New World.

#### Involves U. S. in Controversy. Chili's acceptance of the entire American thesis as applying to the merican continent's inviolability from the league surprises Europeans. It ad-mittedly involves the United States as guardian and the future position of all Latin-American States toward the

ague. Furthermore, Europeans call attention to the fact that should the assembly vote to exclude all American disputes from its jurisdiction, basing its action

from its jurisdiction, basing its action on Article XXI., Asiatics, particularly the Japanese, could, in disputes with China, demand the same for Asia, thus leaving nothing but Europe under the league's jurisdiction.

Chile has not yet ratified or adhered to the International Court of Justice project. She agreed to pasynopement of ect. She agreed to postponement of consideration of her boundary dispute with Bolivia to-day only on condition that the Assembly decide the issue she had presented in order to cnable her to promptly determine her future league policy. This position was explained by Augustin Edwards, head of the Chilean

legation here. Her other contention is that the league If she is sustained on this point by the Assembly it would be unnecessary for it

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## Finding a Place to Live

Those returning to town seeking attractive furnished rooms or boarding places in the better parts of the city should closely follow The Herald's Want Ads.

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# LEAGUE FACES ISSUE BRITISH CABINET INVITES ON MONROE DOCTRINE DE VALERA TO SEND ENVOYS TO A NEW PARLEY SEPT. 20

# 9 MAN CABINET JOINS WELFARE AND LABOR

Public Health Bureau to Be Created Without Separate Head.

MEASURES UP OCTOBER 1

Department of Interior Wil Be Denominated Public Works.

> Special Despatch to 1 Hm New York Henral New York Herald Bureau, ) Washington, D. C., Sept. 7.

The Cabinet is to be reduced from ten to nine members under a newly livian row reached a head here to- developed scheme for reorganizing day, involving the Monroe Doctrine Government departments which is to clause in the covenant of the League be submitted to Congress about Octoover the American continent. with the proposed Department of Pub-Chile, although a subscriber to the lic Welfare as the Department of La-

Secretary Davis of the Department American Monroe Doctrine as cover- of Labor is responsible for the sug-Bolivia replied to this contention zation of Government Departments. It conception of the league. If it is de- Department of Public Welfare, long cided by the assembly that the league ago advocated by President Harding, cannot intervene in affairs in the New would necessarily have included many World she will get out. Furthermore, of the bureaus of the Department of

The Cabinet now has ten mem and the reorganization scheme was not possibility of a reduction in the Cabinet vas considered, but how it might be brought about was not clear, as Mr. Harding had asked for the Department of Public Welfare.

It was proposed that the basance be maintained by consolidating the War long period has been a carry-all for niscellaneous bureaus, was to be supplanted by the Department of Public Works. The creation of the Depart nent of Public Welfare, therefore, made

ten departments. The Department of Labor now in the Bureau of Immigration, the Chil zation, the Women's Bureau, the United States Employment Service and the Bureau of Industrial Housing and Trans portation. The department is much smaller than the others. It had been proposed to transfer the Children's Bureau and the Women's Bureau to the Department of Public Welfare so the

epartment would be still smaller. The proposal to consolidate labor and into one department has been approved by many officials, particularly as a reduction in the Cabinet was

sponsoring the proposal hope their case Mr. de Valera's contrary op may be aided by the armament conferthe leading members of the Committee on Reorganization. He argued:

set than to combine under one head offered, and therefore could not be rethe war-making machine, both Army and Navy, so as to make it less domiand Navy, so as to make it less domiwhile there has been little public "When there is a Cabinet meeting now, the great field of agriculture is

prepresented by one man, Labor is represented by one man, but war by two men, the Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy. It seems to me that it would be sensible to put the matter of defense in the hands of one weight attached to what he con-essentials, such as rayal man like the rest."

man like the rest."

The reorganization committee hopes to make a report to Congress so a bill may be drawn for passage at the present session. By realigning departments according to their primary functions curtailing and consolidating

#### RIOT OVER RENT LAW Police Called to Eject Crowd Demanding Reforms.

law reforms interrupted the sitting of the Chamber of Deputies this evening seats. After much disorder the unruly elements were finally expelled from the chambers.

When it appeared that the protests when it appeared that the protests.

of the people had almost reached the point of a threat of direct action by them. Representative Orestes Ferrara mounted the tribune and declared that the Assembly could not be intimidated. This provoked much disorder and the police had to be called in to clear the

ROLLED STOCKINGS: INSANE.

Cabinet a rup
County Insane Asylum.

Miss Rosine's real name is believed by
the police here to be Louise Rosine
Johnson. She teld the police that she
was a writer and that her home was in
Los Angeles, but she gave no street
address. Efforts are being made to
find for relatives.

M. Meunier was arrested in November.
1919, white conducting his electoral campaign in the Aube region. He was a
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#### Sinn Fein Is Confident of Successful Results

By the Associated Press. DUBLIN, Sept. 7.—Word from Inverness that the British Cabinet had appointed a committee to deal with Mr. de Valera's reply lends strength to the optimism in Dublin that the negotiations will not be broken. Members of the Sinn Fein continue to profess confidence in the ultimate results and declare that they do not expect renewal of

# DE VALERA IS URGED TO ACCEPT DOMINION

Sir Horace Plunkett and Capt. Harrison Send Letter to Irish Leaders.

COOPERATION BY CONSENT

Would Have Representation

in Imperial Conference and League of Nations. By the Associated Press DUBLIN, Sept. 7 .- Activity is appar ent in moderate Irish circles to pre-

vent a rupture of negotiations and the rejection of the terms until the precise significance of Premier Lloyd George's offer is definitely ascertained. Sir Horace Plunkett, who was chairminion League, to-day addressed a joint letter to Eamon de Valera and reaffirmed by the Ministers.

the members of his Cabinet. In the letter they say: "Ireland would be well advised to accept dominion status, if it implies, as we believe it must, full legislative and founded on mutual agreement arrived it by consent and carrying with it direct representation in the imperial

onference and the League of Nations "It would reasonably follow that true status by Ireland would be accompanied by extension of concurrent agreements a further exchange of notes, and to to regulate cooperation between Ireland insure that such plebiscite resulted and the other units of the empire in all ecessary matters."

They proceed to argue that the Prime

Minister offered dominion status in express terms, subject to six conditions, which appeared to were questions that might be adjusted by agreement.

partments is foreshadowed, but those are anxious to know the grounds for

The Sinn Fein publicity department follow." ence. That was indicated to-day by to-day pointed out that some of the Representative Reavis (Neb.), one of headlines and headings of paragraphs in American newspapers referred to Mr. Reorganization. He argued:

'Now that we are attempting to get and holding out for separation, whereas reply were unanimous. away from heavy armaments, what his actual position, it is maintained, is better example could the United States that a dominion status has not been

> criticism here of the method of conducting the negotiations, some of the Sinn private that while they realize De Valera is striving for the best settlement possible, there has been overmuch weight attached to what they consider

be given to freedom of trade, for which ireland is anxious, and to the questions of Ireland's share in the national debt and Ireland's contribution to the Imperial Treasury. On all these matters, and then curtailing and to less than perial Treasury. On all these matters officials hope to save not less than perial Treasury. On all these matters of taxpayers' it is pointed out, there is a possibility of bargaining with the British Govern-

IN CUBAN CHAMBER TRAIN IS DYNAMITED NEAR ATLANTA, GA. Several Injured and Engineer Reported Killed.

> ATLANTA, Sept. 7 .- An Atlanta, Birm ingham and Atlantic freight train was dynamiced within eight miles of Atlanta to-night, according to reports to police etation, which said several persons were Unconfirmed reports were that the

PAUL MEUNIER WANTS COL. HOUSE AS WITNESS

engineer had been killed.

Alleged French Spy Also Asks for Ex-Ambassador Sharp.

mer radical Republican member of the Chamber of Deputles, who has been in the Sante prison for two years await-ing trial on charges of having intelli-gence with the enemy, has made a for-

Only One Condition Named, Namely the Understanding That Ireland Must Remain Within Empire

NO SIGN OF A BREAK

Committee of Ten Ministers, Including Lloyd George, Appointed to Act With Full Powers.

DECISION NOT PUBLISHED

Premier Has Two Hour Conference With King George Near Inverness-Conciliatory Moves Forecast.

LONDON, Sept. 8 .- The British Cabinet has invited Mr. de Valera to send delegates to a conference with the Cabinet Ministers at Inverness on September 20, according to the Daily Mail's Inverness corre

"Only one condition is imposed, namely, the understanding that Ireland must remain within the em

The communication to Mr. de Valera, according to this despatch, asks for an early reply, and points out the apparent uselessness of con ducting negotiations by a further exchange of notes. In order to allay man of the Dublin convention, and any fears regarding Ulster the deci-Capt. Harrison, chairman of the Do- sion that northern Ireland must not in any circumstancse be coerced was

#### Further Notes Useless Dealing with the Cabinet meeting,

the Daily Mail says "The Premier told the Ministers executive and economic independence, that he regarded the situation as and imperial relationship, functioning grave and critical, and he was conas to policy and action by cooperation vinced that a further interchange of notes was uscless. One Minister who had been in personal contact with Sinn Fein opinion said he was informed that it was the real intention of its leaders to secure a plebiscite of the Irish people after

in a mandate for a conference. "After the conflicting interpreta t'ons placed in Ireland and England referred to the Premier he said it was necessary to impose a time limit and ascertain beyond doubt whether the Sinn Fein were prepared to re-Valera must have some special information derived from his conferences with main within the empire. If so, a Mr. Lloyd George and they invite him rermanent truce was undoubtedly to take the public into his confidence.

They clearly show they believe that tions were useless. The Cabinet thought desirable.

That there is to be a vigorous fight on the documents made public dominion over combining the War and Navy description over combining

with all the blessings of peace to Thereupon the Ministers quickly made up their minds, and the decision and invitation conveyed in the

Inverness, Scotland, Sept. 7 .- A decision which may mean peace of war with Ireland was taken by the British Cabinet at an all important meeting here to-day. The Government's reply to Eamon de Valera. the Irish republican leader, unanimously approved by the Ministers, ron-casentials, such as naval and air con-casentials, such as naval and air through the intermediary of Robert in their opinion more attention should C. Barton, the Sinn Fein courier who carried the Dail Eireann's message to Premier Lloyd George and who was brought into the cou

chamber while the council was session. The nature of the Governme decision has not been made kni but it is not necessary to await lication of the reply to-morrow realize that an important step

ward has been taken. Directly after the Ministers reached their decision came the houncement that "a committee sisting of the Ministers now in land has been appointed with full powers to deal with the situation the moment Mr. de Valera's further au-

#### swer arrives." Members of Committee.

The committee comprises the Premier, Austen Chamberlain, Earl Curzon, Sir Laming Worthington-Evans, Winston Spencer Churchill, Edward Shortt, Robert Munro, Lord Birkenhead, Sir Hamar Greenwood

it would hardly be necessary to ap point a Cabinet committee to deal with

Naturally, the possibility that the Cabinet may have decided to impose